

TRIP MADE BY THE FIRST CARRIER IN SEVEN

Philadelphia, where a tube six inches in diameter has been in use for the last six years. The error of the smaller tubes was to be small, felt-covered and the larger three inches in diameter, outside measurement, and the smaller about half that size. On the side of the eight-inch carrier in use here, the apparatus is applied to the side of the carrier, and it is apparent that in the opinion of Mr. Batcheller, the inventor of the system in use here, the practical limit of the size of the tubes is about three inches in diameter. In Washington it was expected to introduce tubes of that size. He also said that the pressure to be applied in the use of the tubes is about 100 pounds to the square inch. The blue one is twelve pounds. In connection with this, turning to Mr. Shallenberger, Mr. Mitchell asked:

"Now, in behalf of the company, I turn the tubes over to you, and you are responsible for them."

Mr. Shallenberger expressed himself as being satisfied with what he had seen and there were no further questions asked. The witness then returned within hearing distance of the two, Mr. Mitchell then led the way downstairs to a big room in the basement of the building, where the tubes and compressors of the company are situated. The tubes are made of steel and the compressors are made of brass and well-polished pieces of machinery. Mr. Mitchell then turned to Mr. Shallenberger and said:

James E. Sullivan, president of the Metropolitan Association of the Amateur Athletic Union, yesterday appointed the following standing committees for 1888:

Public Gymnasiums—J. J. Crowley, chairman, K. H. Crocker Athletic Club; Thomas Kane, J. P. Boyle, John Steel and J. J. Dixon.

Finance—W. J. Lullihan, chairman, No. 65 Washington St.; J. J. Lippert, A. J. Powers and M. H. Murphy.

Club Investigations—J. J. Steel, chairman, No. 109 Broadway; J. J. Lippert, J. P. Boyle, J. J. Crowley, J. Q. Quirk, C. B. M. Shute and G. Fitzgerald.

Track and Field—J. J. Doyle, chairman, St. George Athletic Club; J. J. Doyle, J. H.weeney, H. Overbergberg and C. B. Weeks.

Boxing and Wrestling—J. J. Steel, chairman, No. 322 Broadway; J. J. Dixon and John Steel.

The women screamed and leaving their hair dresses and jewelry spread out in the front room. Literally fell down the stairs. Sauer and Riehm followed. Two bartenders who were in the ground floor saloon fell over those coming down stairs. In two minutes the house was like a furnace with flames coming from every window and fiery tongues curling in the roof.

A policeman who was near sent in an alarm and when Captain Honan arrived with the fire engine and saw the extent of the fire he sent for the fire department. Within five minutes a line of hose had been stretched the flames were caught the Polo Athletic Club building and the first

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